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DCI INVITATION (SOCIAL)DATE RECEIVED: 26 February 1980DATE OF EVENT: Wednesday, 9 Apr 80

1. INFORMATION REGARDING THE INVITATION:

SUSPENSE: 29 February 1980

- a. Source: Letter from Toni House
- b. Type of Event: Carnival (DCI requested to spend 1/2 hour working in a booth)
- c. Special Occasion: In celebration of the First Amendment
- d. Hosted By: Washington Press Club
- e. Date/Time: 2000-2300 hours, Wednesday, 9 April 1980
- f. Location: Pension Bldg., 440 G St., N.W., Wash., D.C.
- g. Attire: Informal
- h. Significant Info: Point of contact: June Kelley or Toni House, 393-3417

2. SCHEDULE:

<i>Mon, 7 Apr</i>	<i>8 Apr</i>	<i>9 April</i>	<i>10 Apr</i>	<i>Tue, 11 Apr</i>	
—	—	<i>1700 Program</i>	—	—	

3. RECOMMENDATIONS:

	Accept	Regret	Remarks
AIDE		<i>ES</i>	
PA		<i>XX</i>	<i>maybe we could set up our own booth and sell copies of "Decent Interval" - and donate the profits.</i>
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4. DCI DECISION: (MRS. TURNER INVITED - ☒ Yes ☐ No)

a. ACCEPT _____ REGRET _____ SEE ME _____

b. PASS TO: DDCI _____ D/DCI/IC _____ D/DCI/NI _____

5. AIDE FINAL ACTION: To D/PA for letter of regret, 28 Feb 80

6. INFORMATION ROUTING:

a. COMMENTS: _____

28 February 1980

Ms. Toni House
President
The Washington Press Club
505 National Press Building
Washington, D.C. 20045

Dear Ms. House:

Admiral Turner has asked me to thank you for your letter of February 22nd, and for your invitation for him to participate in the First Amendment carnival on April 9th. Unfortunately, the Admiral will not be able to accept. He appreciates your thinking of him, however, and wishes you all the best for a successful evening.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Herbert E. Hetu
Director of Public Affairs

OPA/kgt/7676/28 Feb. 1980

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Executive Registry

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The Honorable
Stansfield Turner
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Admiral Turner:

In behalf of the Washington Press Club, I would like to ask you to be our guest at a carnival in celebration of the First Amendment April 9, 1980, from 8 to 11 p.m. in the Pension Building, 440 G Street, N.W.

The event is being held in honor of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, which will be holding its national convention here at that time, and is for the benefit of the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press.

We are planning an informal, truly fun-filled evening full of political savvy and a little, but not too much, irreverence. Numerous well known Washington figures have been recruited to help in our booths and boutiques and we're hoping that you will not only be able to come, but also be willing to devote a half-hour or so to working in one of them yourself.

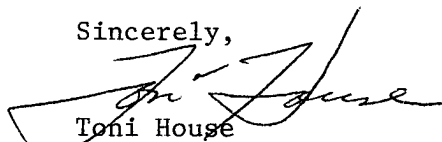
We're planning such tests of prowess as ring toss, darts, dunk the Ayatollah, bingo, a tower of power, plus roving photographers, musicians, T-shirts, balloons, buttons, bumperstickers, books, a kissing booth, autographed cartoons, and supper. Perhaps one of these, or something else, will strike your fancy. We're quite flexible and willing to work out whatever you might find suitable.

*This will be
OK*

We think we have a good event. A change from the usual, ritualized black-tie Washington affair - an opportunity for people from Capitol Hill, the departments and agencies to mix in an informal setting with editors from across the country as well as the Washington press corps. And all in the name of a good cause: the First Amendment. We would be pleased if you could be part of it.

One of our committee members will contact your office soon about whether you will be able to attend and if and in what you might be willing to participate. If you or your staff have any questions, either the club executive director, June Kelley or I may be reached at 393-3417. Looking forward to seeing you April 9.

Sincerely,


Toni House
President

P.S. It is possible you may receive an invitation to attend our carnival from one of the club's individual members. Please feel free to accept, but do keep some time free for us.